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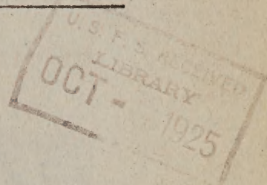
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LUMBER SALVAGED FROM  
MINE TIMBER TRIMS



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An effort towards wood conservation is shown in the photographs here. One view shows oversized mine timbers at a Pennsylvania colliery. The other view shows lumber produced in trimming them. The method used is to square up the timbers by sawing a few boards on four sides instead of merely cutting four slabs. Lumber so produced is used in the colliery breakers. In this use the lumber is liable to wear out rather than decay so that the presence of large amounts of sapwood is unimportant.

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